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Re: New U.S. Patent Appln.
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

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entitled: SUBSTRATE HOLDER, AND USE OF THE SUBSTRATE HOLDER IN
 A HIGHLY ACCURATE MEASURING INSTRUMENT

Enclosed are:

1. Specification, including 28 claims (15 pages).
2. 4 Sheets of formal drawings showing Figs. 1-6.
3. X Declaration and Power of Attorney (**unexecuted**).
4. Priority is being claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119 and 37 C.F.R. §1.55 based on Priority Document 199 48 797.9, filed in Germany on October 11, 1999.
5. X Information Disclosure Statement w/4 references.
6. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

Basic Fee				\$355/710 =	\$710.00
Total Claims	<u>28</u>	- 20 =	<u>8</u>	x \$ 9/18 =	\$144.00
Independent Claims	<u>3</u>	- 3 =	<u>0</u>	x \$40/80 =	\$
Multiple Dependent Claim Presented				\$135/270 =	\$
Total Filing Fee					<u>\$854.00</u>

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Respectfully submitted,

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